

DOCKET NO.: FST CV15 50148-08 S : SUPERIOR COURT  
WILLIAM A. LOMAS : J.D. OF STAMFORD/NORWALK  
VS. : AT STAMFORD  
PARTNER WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC  
ET AL. : JULY 28, 2015

**MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE**

Pursuant to Connecticut Practice Book Section 2-16, the undersigned hereby moves for admission pro hac vice of David Lagasse, Esq. and represents as follows:

1. Attorney Lagasse is a lawyer with the law firm of Mintz Levin Cohn Ferris Glovsky and Popeo, P.C a practice with offices located at 666 Third Avenue, New York, New York.
2. In conjunction with this motion, Attorney Lagasse has filed a duly sworn and executed Affidavit setting forth all of the information required pursuant to Connecticut Practice Book Section 2-16, which Affidavit is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit A.
3. Good causes exists to grant this motion because Attorney Lagasse has a longstanding attorney-client relationship with the defendants, Partner Wealth Management, LLC, Kevin G. Burns, James Pratt-Heany, and William Loftus, which predates this matter. Due to this long-standing relationship and Attorney Lagasse's background and qualifications,

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he possesses specialized skill and knowledge with regard to the defendants' affairs which will be of benefit to them in litigating this matter.

WHEREFORE the undersigned sponsoring attorney respectfully requests that this motion be granted.

THE DEFENDANTS,

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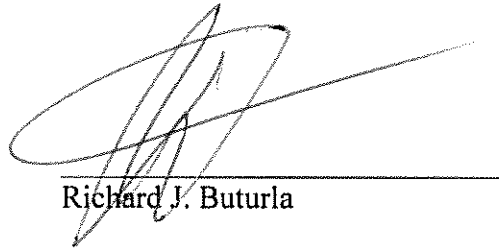
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**CERTIFICATION**

This is to certify that a copy of the foregoing has been mailed, postage prepaid, on the  
28th day of July, 2015 to:

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# EXHIBIT A

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STATE OF NEW YORK )  
 ) ss:  
 COUNTY OF NEW YORK )

DAVID LAGASSE, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. I am over eighteen (18) years of age and believe in the obligations of an oath. I hereby certify that the following statements are true to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.
2. I am admitted and in good standing to practice law in the State of New York and State of New Jersey and am a member with the law firm of Mintz, Levin, Cohn Ferris, Glovsky and Popeo, P.C.
3. I have never had a grievance proceeding against me in New York, New Jersey or in any other jurisdiction.

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4. I have never been reprimanded, suspended, placed on inactive status, disbarred or otherwise disciplined and have never resigned from the practice of law.

5. I have paid the client security fund fee due for this calendar year and will pay such fee when due for each year that I continue to appear in the above-captioned matter.

6. I hereby designate the Chief Clerk of the Superior Court for the Judicial District of Stamford / Norwalk as my agent upon whom process and service of notice may be served.

7. I hereby agree to register with the Statewide Grievance Committee while appearing in the above-captioned matter and for a period of two years after its completion and agree to notify the Statewide Grievance Committee of the expiration of the two year period.

8. I have not previously appeared pro hac vice in the Connecticut Superior Court.

9. The defendants, Partner Wealth Management, LLC, Kevin G. Burns, James Pratt-Heany, and William Loftus, desire to have me assist their Connecticut counsel in the above-matter.

10. I have had an attorney/client relationship with the aforesaid defendants for an extended period of time which predates this matter such that I possess specialized skill and knowledge with regard to the defendants' affairs which will be of benefit to them in litigating this matter.

11. I agree to comply with and be subject to the orders of this Court.

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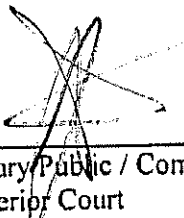
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12. I will associate with and have an attorney from the law offices of Berchem, Moses & Devlin, P.C., whose attorneys are duly and legally admitted to practice in the State of Connecticut, personally appear with me at all proceedings and understand that they must sign all pleadings, briefs and other filings.

  
David Lagasse

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 39 day of July 2015.

  
Notary Public / Commissioner of the  
Superior Court

JESSICA W. CATLOW  
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